

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Kasper et al.
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Title: *Method and System for Configurable
Network Intrusion Detection*

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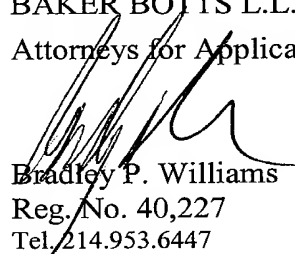
Dear Sir:

Notice of Appeal

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner mailed September 8, 2006, finally rejecting pending Claims 1-37, and 39. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(b), the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the amount of **\$500.00** to Deposit Account No. 02-0384 of BAKER BOTTS L.L.P. to cover the filing fee for this Notice of Appeal. Additionally, attached is a Request for Extension of time authorizing the Commissioner to charge the amount of **\$120.00** to Deposit Account No. 02-0384 of BAKER BOTTS L.L.P. to cover the one-month extension-of-time fee for this Notice of Appeal.

Although Applicants believe no other fees are due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional necessary fees or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 02-0384 of BAKER BOTTS L.L.P.

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